

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In the application of** : Peeters et al.  
**Serial No.** : 10/656,543  
**Filed** : September 05, 2003  
**For** : A Method of and System for Routing in a  
Photonic Network  
**Examiner** : Singh, Dalzid  
**Art Unit** : 2613  
**Customer number** : 23644

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED FEBRUARY 27, 2008**

Honorable Director of Patents and Trademarks  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action mailed February 27, 2008, it is requested that the application be amended as follows: